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### **GOLD KING MINE/SAN JUAN MINE SPILL**

Anger Rises as E.P.A Increases Estimate of Toxic Water Spill at Colorado Mine

<http://www.nytimes.com/2015/08/11/us/durango-colorado-mine-spill-environmental-protection-agency.html?emc=eta1&r=0>

Scientists testing San Juan River every 3 hours for mine sludge's arrival in Utah

<http://www.sltrib.com/home/2824133-155/scientists-testing-san-juan-river-every>

Utah environmental officials testing mine sludge in San Juan River

<http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865634254/Utah-environmental-officials-testing-mine-sludge-in-San-Juan-River.html>

Plume from mine spill can't be found in Utah river

<http://fox13now.com/2015/08/10/plume-from-mine-spill-cant-be-found-in-utah-river/>

Wastewater From Colorado Mine Heads Toward Utah

<http://kuer.org/post/wastewater-colorado-mine-heads-toward-utah>

Utah testing water for signs of Colorado spill; critics want more from state

<https://kutv.com/news/local/utah-testing-water-for-signs-of-colorado-spill-critics-want-more-from-state>

Residents demand health answers as mine spill fouls rivers

[http://www.heraldextra.com/news/local/residents-demand-health-answers-as-mine-spill-fouls-rivers/article\\_2982d465-d3b6-5fe0-b2eb-e5404e92ee0b.html](http://www.heraldextra.com/news/local/residents-demand-health-answers-as-mine-spill-fouls-rivers/article_2982d465-d3b6-5fe0-b2eb-e5404e92ee0b.html)

Colorado River Spill: Early tests show little threat to fish, wildlife

<http://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/colorado-river-spill-early-tests-show-little-threat-fish-wildlife-n407586>

Utah Rivers Council: Pollution from mine spill heading into San Juan River then Lake Powell

<http://www.good4utah.com/story/d/story/utah-rivers-council-pollution-from-mine-spill-head/37045/Ykg4dvfeU0qGgHQVjjqdFw>

### **WATER ISSUES**

State water report: El Nino contributes to cooler, wetter July

<http://www.sltrib.com/news/2823343-155/state-water-report-el-nino-contributes>

Survey: Utah residents willing to cut water to help farmers

[http://www.heraldextra.com/news/local/survey-utah-residents-willing-to-cut-water-to-help-farmers/article\\_601c0d71-9a75-557b-aaaa-09386f7ec808.html](http://www.heraldextra.com/news/local/survey-utah-residents-willing-to-cut-water-to-help-farmers/article_601c0d71-9a75-557b-aaaa-09386f7ec808.html)

## **GENERAL INTEREST**

Tar sands mine protesters in tripods arrested in Uintah County

<http://www.sltrib.com/news/2823318-155/tar-sands-mine-protesters-in-tripods>

In Wake of Colorado Mine Spill, Protestors Disrupt Construction of Book Cliffs Mine

<http://kuer.org/post/wake-colorado-mine-spill-utah-protestors-disrupt-construction-book-cliffs-mine>

BLM seeks comment on proposed mine project

<http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865634249/BLM-seeks-comment-on-proposed-mine-project.html>

Perseid meteor shower set to peak this coming week

<http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865634146/Perseid-meteor-shower-set-to-peak-this-week.html>

## **EDITORIAL/OPINION**

Bagley Cartoon: There's poison in them hills

<http://www.sltrib.com/opinion/2824225-155/bagley-cartoon-theres-poison-in-them>

Mercury News: Wildfire budget - like forests - needs sustainability

<http://www.sltrib.com/opinion/2815106-155/mercury-news-wildfire-budget-like>

Past planning has helped Utah parks - with more forethought needed now

<http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865634262/Past-planning-has-helped-Utahs-parks-2-with-more-forethought-needed-now.html>

'Just say no' not best response to EPA climate rules

<http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865634261/6Just-say-no7-not-best-response-to-EPA-climate-rules.html>

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